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C O N F I D E N T I A L SAIGON 10271

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, VS

SUBJECT: BENELUX REJECTION OF RECOGNITION OF "PRG"

REF: SAIGON 8148 (NOTAL)

1. FOREIGN MINISTER VUONG VAA BAC TOLD CHARGE AUGUST 3 HE WAS HAPPY TO REPORT THAT BELGIAN CHARGE HAD INFORMED HIM THE PREVIOUS DAY GOB HAD DECIDED TO REJECT REQUEST FOR RECOGNITION OF "PRG" MADE SOME TIME AGO BY DRV EMBASSY IN PEKING. BELGIAN CHARGE HAD INDICATED THIS WAS COMMON POSITION OF THREE BENELUX COUNTRIES ARRIVED AT THROUGH JOINT CONSULTATION. BAC RECALLED CANADA HAD PREVIOUSLY REJECTED DRV APPROACH.

2. COMMENT: DUTCH CHARGE VAN ROIJEN ALSO INFORMED US RECENTLY THAT BENELUX COUNTRIES HAD MADE JOINT DECISION TO REJECT REQUEST FOR RECOGNITION OF "PRG". BENELUX CONSULTATIONS
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PROBABLY PROVIDE A DESIRABLE COUNTERWEIGHT TO LEFTIST TENDENCIES

OF DUTCH GOVERNMENT ON "PRG" ISSUES.
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